

Telling PEPFAR's Story - developing PEPFAR policy and communication materials



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Project Summary	Interns will work on communication materials for the State Department office responsible for implementing the U.S. President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief (PEPFAR) – the U.S. Government initiative focused on saving and improving the lives of those suffering from HIV/AIDS around the world.
Country	United States
Agency	Department of State
DoS Office	S/GAC
Post	N/A
Section	N/A
Number of Interns	4

Project Description

The Office of the U.S. Global AIDS Coordinator and Health Diplomacy (S/GAC) is responsible for implementing the U.S. President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief (PEPFAR) – the U.S. Government initiative launched by President George W. Bush in 2003 focused on saving and improving the lives of those suffering from HIV/AIDS around the world. The program is the largest commitment made by any nation to combat a single disease internationally. PEPFAR is global, operating in nearly 60 countries through bilateral and regional programs.

Transparency and data sharing are PEPFAR priorities. To this end, PEPFAR has developed Fact Sheets for each country in which it has a major investment. The Fact Sheets can be used by the media, educators and the general public to highlight and encourage increased support for the fight to create an AIDS-free generation.

VSFS intern/s will review and update different forms of policy and communication materials on U.S. HIV/AIDS and global health policies. They will focus primarily on reviewing and updating the PEPFAR Country Fact Sheets. Interns should have an interest in public health, be detail-oriented (as they will be updating statistics) and have good writing skills.

Desired Skills Interests

Additional Information

None

Language Requirements

None